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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On Title Page, Item (63) please delete delete "This is a continuation of application Ser. No. 09/717,477, filed Nov. 20, 2000." and insert:

--RELATED PATENT DATA

This patent resulted from a continuation application of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/717,477, filed November 20, 2000, entitled "Chemical Mechanical Polishing Process," naming Trung Tri Doan as inventor, now U.S. Patent No. 6,974,367, which issued December 13, 2005, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference; which resulted from divisional application of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/389,536, filed September 2, 1999, entitled "Laser Pyrolysis Particle Forming Method and Particle Forming Method" naming Trung Tri Doan as inventor, now U.S. Patent No. 6,254,928 B1, which issued July 3, 2001 the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference.--.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D" at the end.

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